



February 25,, 2021

Everett Lott
Interim Director
District Department of Transportation
55 M Street SE, Suite 400
Washington, DC 20003

RE: Request for Speed Humps on 5th Street NW between Q Street NW and Rhode Island Avenue NW

Dear Interim Director Lott:

On February 2, 2021, at the duly noticed and regularly scheduled meeting of the Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6E (“ANC 6E” or “Commission”) and with a quorum of seven out of seven Commissioners and the public present, ANC 6E approved the following resolution by a vote of seven for, zero against, and zero abstentions:

WHEREAS, the Duties and Responsibilities of the Advisory Neighborhood Commission Act of 1975 grants ANC 6E the responsibility to advise the Council of the District of Columbia, the Mayor, and each executive agency and all independent agencies, boards, and commissions of the government of the District of Columbia with respect to all matters of District government policy, including decisions regarding planning, streets, recreation, social services programs, education, health, safety, and sanitation which affect the ANC 6E area,

WHEREAS, 5th Street NW between Q Street NW and Rhode Island Avenue NW lies within the jurisdictional boundaries of ANC 6E and within ANC 6E Single Member District 6E02,

WHEREAS, 5th Street NW in this area has the functional classification of local street, is one-way northbound, features an unprotected bike lane, and a has default speed limit of 20 mph,

WHEREAS, the intersections of 5th Street NW in this area feature all-way stops at Q Street NW, Warner Street NW, R Street NW, and a one-way stop at Rhode Island Avenue NW,

WHEREAS, several neighbors on 5th Street NW have complained of drivers speeding and failing to come to complete stops at stop signs and pedestrian crossings;

WHEREAS, speed humps already exist on the 1300 and 1500 blocks of 5th Street NW;

WHEREAS, speed humps are effective at reducing vehicle speed, improving stop sign compliance, and discouraging cut-through traffic;



THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that ANC 6E requests that DDOT install vertical speed control devices, such as speed humps, on 5th Street NW between Q Street NW and Rhode Island Avenue NW.

ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION,

Sincerely,

Rachelle Nigro

Rachelle Nigro,
Chair

CC: Andrew DeFrank, Ward 6 Community Engagement Specialist, DDOT
Naomi Mitchell, Community Liaison, Office of Councilmember Charles Allen